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The sky man is the man of the cen

Aviation is, after all, less dangerous than football.

The freak hat is doomed, we are told. Ah, but which freak hat?

Don't keep your mouth open when looking at airships. It is a bad habit.

Ballooning is somewhat like tobogganing, but the walk back is more fatiguing.

It is just as fatal to be killed in a football game as in an aeroplane catastrophe.

Perhaps the hobble skirt is the cause for the new fashion of large pedal extremities.

The man-bird should not attempt at this stage of the game too many shines in the air.

When a man lives in a boarding house he lets somebody else worry about the price of coal.

Aerial wonders top one another until the general public is beginning to be surprised by nothing.

According to reports, the government will soon have to set aside reservations to prevent the Yankees from becoming extinct.

The Chinese may adopt a compromise. When they stop pinching the feet of their girls they may put on them hobble skirts.

A German banker spent eight months in America and did not marry. He is rich, so there must be some other reason.

Dunning by postal card has been forbidden by the post office depart-ment. Hereafter the dunners must use two-cent stamps.

A Russian military balloon went up over 20,000 feet the other day. That is enough to get out of range of any ordinary Japanese fleet.

We have grown as a people this year 5,275,000,000 bushels of corn, oats, wheat, barley and potatoes, and no one should go hungry.

One woman of the "400" paid \$11,-000 in duties on her gowns recently. The '400" has ceased to practise smug gling except at odd times.

Everything seems to indicate that It will be several years yet before the science of aviating can be considered entirely out of its infancy.

One of Yale's professors is afraid America is soon to become a monarchy. He probably has nothing else at this time to be afraid of.

A trick horse that had been stolen shook hands with the rightful owner to the undoing of the thief. We defy a trick automobile to do that.

The prune supply at a New York hospital was short and boarding house guests will be surprised to hear there is quite a fuss about it.

The police have discovered a man leaning against a corner building who had been dead three hours. "All things come to him who walts."

As to the consequences, there does not seem to be much to choose be tween a woman automobilist turning thief and her machine turning turtle.

People hooted at a woman in Columbus, Ga., because she wore a hobble skirt in the streets. Can it be possible that the age of southern chivalry is

in the United States last year; yet there are in this country a good many young men whose fingers are not

Six billion cigarettes were consumed

In Cranford, N. J., a thief stole a \$100 gold watch from the pocket of a police sergeant while that official dozed in the police station. What that policeman needs is a chaperon.

The life of the city boy is indeed hard. No more Fourth of July, no more hallowe'en and an increase the number of vacation schools is only matched by a condemnation of moving picture shows.

Aviation is becoming extremely profitable-if not for the country, certainly for the aviators. But the cash inducements to risk life and limb cause the science of airship building to get a move on.

Wireless lighting is now announced by a Danish inventor. Nature's lighting has always been wireless, and here mere man only imitates.

In St. Louis there is a robber who is known as "the candy kid." He probably got the name owing to his possession of sticky fingers.

A western scientist claims to have discovered a chemical which is death and destruction to germs. Is this century approaching the climax of a diseaseless world?

The Macon Beacon MEXICAN REVOLUTION

HUNDREDS OF ARRESTS OF AGE TATORS HAVE BEEN MADE.

Revolutionists Reported to Have Enlisted Services of Yaqui Indians In Fight Against Diaz

San Antonio, Tex.-Troop K, Third United States cavalry, left here Mon-day in a special train for Del Rio. The troop is equipped for a stay of a month in the field. It is understood that the troops will be sent from Fort Houston to do duty along the Mexican border.

A telephone message from American Consul Luther Ellsworth at C. P. Diaz, said the situation looked darker.

Mexico City-Gomez Palacio, a town of 7,000 inhabitants, and the junction point on the railroad near Torreon, is said to be in the hands of revolution-

The war minister, in explaining why troops were hurriedly sent to Orizaba. in the state of Vera Cruz, said it was feared that the rebels might dynamite the railroad bridges.

The secret service has been extreme ly active. In the last few days, it is said, 200 arrests of agitators have been made here.

Fierce Fighting at Durango. Fierce fighting occurred at Durango, Torreon, Parral and Gomez Palacio, the latter town falling into the hands of rebels. Three hundred of the federal troops at Gomez Palacio are said to have gone over to the insurgents, who have now turned their attention to attacking the loyal forces at Tor-

It is reported on good authorfty that twenty-five persons have been killed at Zacatecas. The government troops, it is also reported, quelled the uprising there and are in control.

100 REPORTED KILLED.

El Paso Hears Report of Bloody Fight

at Zacatecas. El Paso, Texas.—One hundred persons were killed in riots which took place at Zacatecas, in the interior of men!" Mexico, opposite Tampico, according to reports received here. Soldiers fired into a straggling body of rioters with disastrous effect. One hundred is the lowest estimate of the loss of life,

which may reach 500.

The American consul at Zacatecas telegraphed the first news of the riot to the Mexican consul at San Antonio, stating that that town was in a state of terror and that the loss of life was no less than 100.

RENEW RIOTS AT PUEBLA.

Mexico is Conscripting Citizens for Service.

Laredo, Texas.-Reports reaching this city from what is considered to be a reliable source are to the effect that rioting was renewed in Puebla, Mexico, and that thirty persons were killed in the fighting.

It is stated on the streets here that the Mexican military authorities are conscripting large numbers of the residents of Nuevo Laredo into the army for emergency service

INDIANS BEING ENLISTED.

Over 1,000 Red Men Will Take Field

Against Diaz.

El Paso, Texas.—A report reached ere from Cananea, Mexico, that revolutinoists are enlisting the hostile Yaqui Indians for service against the Mexican government. It is said that over 1,000 warriors will take the field if actual war breaks out.

Wholesale smuggling of arms and ammunition across the border near Naco, Ariz., is said to be in progress.

PLUNGER CHILDS.

Five Years Ago Inherited Million and a Quarter, Now Is Poor.

New York,-Irving W. Childs, who five years ago inherited \$1,250,000 from the estate of his father, William H. Childs, has lost \$500,000 of his Inheritance in Wall street during the past four years, it was alleged in state ments by counsel in a hearing before Justice Blackmar in the supreme court at Brooklyn.

The fact of the young man's plunging was the basis for application in be half of his wife, Mrs. Gertrude E. Childs, for a bond to protect the alimony granted her when she obtained a decree of separation.

WHY TUBERCULOSIS RAGES.

Many Children Contract Disease From Tubercular Parents.

New York .- Fully one-half of the children who contract tuberculosis do so because they are cared for by tuberculosis adults. Dr. Woods Hutchinson and Dr. W. H. Park made this assertion in arguing before the committee on congestion of population for consumption hospitals and camps. The total outlay necessary for New York city, they estimated, would be \$9,000. 000 for the plant, with \$5,000,000 for maintenance the first year,

Kansas Has 1,690,949, Washington.—The population of the state of Kansas is 1,690,943, according

to the statistics of the thirteenth census. This is an increase of 220,454, or 15 per cent, over 1,470,495 in 1900.

Will Wed Mother's Mald.

New York .- Thomas T. Eckert, son nd principal heir to the \$3,000,000 estate of his father, formerly president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, will marry Miss Minnie Egan, his mother's maid until Mrs. Eckert's death eight years ago.

LIFE'S DISAPPOINTMENTS



COUNT TOLSTOI IS DEAD BLAMES HOMESTEADER

CROWD GATHERS AROUND LOW- SEC'Y WILSON PRAISES SOUTH'S LY HUT WHERE HE DIED.

One Called Out, His Heart Burst From Lands Have Been Exploited and Immi-His Unbounded Love of Humanity.

Astapova.—The crowd that gathered around the hut where Tolstoi lay dy-ing in the early Sunday morning hours awaited breathlessly a verdict of Dr. Thtchurovsky and Dr. Usoff, two of the leading heart specialists of Mos-cow, who had been hurriedly called "The homesteader," he said, "is reinto consultation.

The examination was brief, lasting less than half an hour. Toistoi failed to recognize either of the physicians, "Who are these stranand asked: gers?"

When informed, he said, "What fine

In spite of their natural rejuctance to spread discouraging reports, the consulting physicians could not see their way clear to hold out a ray of hope. However, they hoped to lessen the pain of the aged patient, whose parting hours were mercifully free from physical suffering. His auccumbed shortly after he had issued from under the influence of an injection of stimulant. He died without regaining consciousness.

Throughout a heart-breaking night motley crowd, made up of the most varied elements imaginable, pressed around the low hut. There were dismen.

All alike stood spellbound, knowing that a matchless personality was de parting as the Sunday dawn dispelled the foggy, raw November night. Virtually the whole population of Asta of corn pova was there. Then a voice from staples. the hut came quietly: "Leo Nicholae vich is dead.'

There was a moment of silence Then every head was bared and there were sounds everywhere of sobbing. One called out: "His heart burst by his unbounded love for humanity." This and similar phrases ran from mouth to mouth through the weeping tussians gathered there.

Later in the day all the peasants in the district flocked here. None was excluded from the death chamber through which there was a constant stream of visitors, including many school children.

HUSBAND SHOT AS HE SLEPT.

Wife and Male Friend Accused of the Murder.

Lexington, Ky .- R. F. Blankenship, a night watchman, was assassinated as he lay in bed asleep at his home His widow, Mrs. Jane Blankenship, and H. Collins, an alleged friend of hers, were arrested and charged with the murder.

Troops in Readiness.

San Antonio, Texas,—Brig,-Gen. Hoyt, commanding the department of Texas, has been instructed from Washington to hold the troops in read iness for service on the Mexican border. Already four companies of the Twenty-third infantry from Fort Clark are encamped on the border near Eagle Pass.

Troops Guard Court.

Paducah, Ky.-State guards arrived Sunday afternoon from Lyon county, where a company is doing patrol duty, to do service during the session of United States court, which convenes omorrow morning. Federal Judge Walter Evans arrived Sunday evening. The soldiers will be on duty in the court room during the trial of nightrider damage suits to prevent a possible outbreak. There are several suits pending and the total amount of damages sought is about \$200,000.

New York's Wealth Grows.

New York.-The tax department of the city government announces that the assessed valuation of taxable property in New York for the coming year will show an increase of more than \$600,000,000, bringing the total up to nearly \$8,000,000,000. This will mean an increase in the city's debt-incurring caspeity of \$60,000,000. Soon after Mayor Gaynor took office he announced that he wanted to have the to the market value of the property. | \$42 a pound.



CORN CLUBS.

gration Has Aided in Avancing Prices. Chicago.-Secretary of Agriculture Wilson blamed the homesteader of the

West in part for the present high cost of living, in an address at the opening here of the United States Land and

ducing the field of operations of the ranchman, which is reducing the meat harvest of the West and becoming quite a factor in the cost of living."

Other causes, he said, was the great immigration to this country, and the movement to the cities. The recent tumble in prices of meat he attributed to drouth in the range country and to the big corn and oats crops.

"The new lands opened up under the homestead act of half a century ago were often exploited," he said, for temporary profit by soil robbers, who were experts of their kind. Owing to such farm management, the yield of the acre in the United States gradually decreased. Very little intensive farming was done.

"But none of our soils," he added. "are beyond redemption. The soils of the country are the great set asset the on has. Progress in all directions tant relatives of the aged author, Tol- and there is no material inquiry of stolans, villagers and many church- such great value as that which pertains to our soils."

He spoke in glowing terms of the work being done in the Southern states in the way of offering prizes to boys who would produce humper crops of corn, potatoes, tobacco and other

"It is only a question of time," he said, "when the South will ship fat cattle and hogs to the great centers of population and contribute toward the food of our people. It has raised its maximum crops the last two years."

BROKERAGE OFFICES RAIDED

Swindled Public Out of \$40,000,000 Worthless Stock.

New York.—In raids so important that Postmaster Jeneral Hitchcock has taken charge in person, his inspectors fell on two concerns Monday afternoon, which they charge with swindling the public out of more than \$40, 000,000 by fraudulent use of the mails.

Sheldon H. Burr, president of Burr Bros.; Eugene H. Burr, secretary and treasurer of the firm, and Charles H. Tobey, its vice-president, were arrested in the first raid and held in \$20,000 ball each. The government charges that the firm sold between \$40,000,000 and \$50,000,000 of mining and oil stock worth little or nothing.

Charles L. Vaughan, a director of the Continental Wireless Telegraph & Telephone Company, was taken in the second raid and held in \$1,000 bail, Inspectors say his company has sold stock to the amount of ar least \$1, 000,000, which has brought in no re turn to the investors,

Postmaster-General Hitchcock estimates that the public has been fleeced out of at least \$100,000,000 by get-rich quick concerns in the last five years

Many Women Arrested. London.-The militant suffragettes reopened hostilities against the govrnment, and, marching 1,000 strong on the parliament buildings, gave the police a lively fight. The women, many of whom were placed under arrest, were led by Mrs. Emmeline Pank The suffragettes had determined if possible to force the police cordon about the house of commons and reaching Premier Asquith to in sist upon the adoption of the woman's suffrage bill. The police, however, were too strongly entrenched.

Court Relieves Haskell,

Chickasha, Okla,-All cases against Gov. C. N. Haskell were nolle prossed Friday. This action ends the legal fight against C. N. Haskell and others in connection with the Muskogee lo

Big Poultry Deal.

Dalas, Texas.-W. H. Norton sold forty-one registered White Leghorn chickens for \$1,500 Friday. This is the largest deal in fine poultry ever assessments come as early as possible made in Texas. The chickens brought

FOOD DECLINE A TRICK WEAK, SICK

DR. WILEY SAYS INTERESTS WILL TAKE FRESH GRIP.

Secretary Wilson Asserts Reduction Is Abnormal—Due to Price of Hay.

Washington.-The so-called reduc ion in the prices of meats is a delib erate manipulation of the market, ac cording to Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry of the department of agriculture.

"The interests which manipulated the prices upward," said Dr. Wiley, "temporarily have released their hold on our throats for the purpose of getting a fresh grip. The so-called reduction in meats is fictitious. Its manipulation was deliberate, just as the increase in prices was unjust, unrea sonable and uncalled for by conditions prevailing throughout the country. The prices were fictitious at the top notch because they were forced there arbi-trarily by the interests.

"Developments will show that the interests are after some one. It may be some independent movement they note to drive from cover.

Secretary Wilson said that the an nounced reduction in prices was abnormal. He said it was due to the fact that the drought in the cattle raising country had increased the cost of The farmer with cattle on his hands must pay \$35 a ton for his hay, and rather than do this, he was sending his cattle and sheep to market. This accounted for the sudden tumble in prices, he said.

"This tumble is not all normal an will not be permanent," declared Sec retary Wilson, "but a plentiful corn crop and plenty of grain will enable the farmer to feed freely, and we should get a lower level of prices. Lower prices are certain to come, provided that somewhere between the farmer and the consumer there is no combination nor agreement to keep prices up.

RIVERS AND HARBORS MEET.

Waterways Solution of the Transpor

tation Problem. Washington.-The seventh conven tion of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which will be held in this city December 7, 8 and 9, next, it is expected, will bring to the na tional capital the largest gathering of waterways enthusiasts ever assem

bled in this country.

President Taft, who will deliver the opening address to the delegates, said in the course of a speech in Chicago that transportation was the question of the hour and that the only solution the problem was recourse to the waterways of the United States.

Probably next in importance to the address of the president of the United States will be the speech of Judson Harmon of Ohio, who has for years been a close student of the question of improved waterways.

MRS. SCHENK GAVE POISON

Nurse Tells That Accused Offered Her

\$1,000 to Do It. Wheeling, W. Va.-So sensational is the character of the evidence that was presented before the special grand jury that indicted Laura Farnsworth Schenk on the charge of administering the millionaire pork packer, for the purpose of causing his death, that the members of the grand jury are telling their friends just what transpired be

hind the closed doors. The evidence disclosed there. though, according to the statement of Prosecuting Attorney J. B. Handlan it is not one-tenth of the evidence he has against Mrs. Schenk, shows the most dastardly plot ever conceived in the mind of a human being.

Miss Kline, who was employed as a nurse, testified that she was offered \$1,000 by Mrs. Schenk to poison her

husband. Two Men Are Cremated.

Pittsburg, Pa.-Fighting their way through dense smoke and blinding flame in a burning oil house, Howard Vinkenoff and Wilbert Ellery were burned to death. The men had worked all of the day and part of the night, and had gone to sleep in the oil house Sparks from a passing engine fired the little building, and they could be seen running around endeavoring to

find the door before they fell. MANY MEXICANS ARE KILLED

Mexico City.-One hundred persons including the chief of police, were killed in riots at puebla.

The trouble began when a number of policemen, headed by the chief, attempted to break up a meeting of antire-electionists, which was being held in a large hall. As Chief of Police Miguel Cabrera and his men advanced towards the building, a door was opened by a woman, who shot and killed the chief. A fight then ensued between the police and the occupants.

Would Unionize Teachers.

St. Louis, Mo .- A plan to unionize the school teachers of the United States is the aim of a resolution no efore the American Federation of Labor in session here. T. V. O'Connor, a representative of the Lougshore men's Union, is also representing the teachers of Buffalo, who have perfect ed a union, succeeded in having it recognized and advancing salaries, The resolution would place the federation on record as calling for a higher standard of wages for teachers and pledge its support to that end.

PALEFACES

Will Be Interested In This Suggestion From the Pen of a South Carolina Lady.

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with a young man she nearly always gets the worst of the trade.

Good luck likes to visit people who are not expecting it.



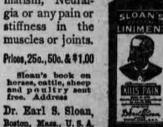
lame leg that has given me much trouble for six months. It was so bad that I couldn't walk sometimes for a week. I tried doctors' medicine and had a rubber bandage for my leg, and bought everything that I heard of, but they all did me no good, until at last I was persuaded to try Sloan's Linlment. The first application helped it, and in two weeks my leg was well."—A. L. HUNTER, of Hunter, Ala.

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